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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group 335 (Our Case) 3220-18158  
Applicant: Richard B. Borgens et al.  
Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
REGENERATING NERVES  
Serial No: 258,142  
Filed: October 14, 1988  
Examiner: G. Manuel

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11/6/89PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Honorable Commissioner of  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Petitioners, applicants in the above-identified application, hereby requests that the response to the outstanding Office Action submitted herewith be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). The outstanding Office Action was issued April 21, 1989, the initial period for response expiring July 21, 1989.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$215.00 specified in 37 CFR 1.17 is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Account Number 02-1010.

The requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations having been met, acceptance of the accompanying document is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IS  
MATERIALLY OF THE PRIMARY EXAMINER -  
RAF has 3 days

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